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FOUR KILLED IN WRECK ON SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Four persons were killed and more than 26 injured when the Royal Palm, northbound train No. 2, the crack train of the Southern Railway System, was wrecked just north of New River, Tenn., Wednesday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock.

The engine and tender and three coaches were overturned and three of the Pullman cars were derailed. None of the train crew was killed, all of the fatalities having been among the passengers.

The wreck was one of the most disastrous in the history of the Southern Railway. It is believed to have been caused by the buckling of rails. The scene of the wreck is about 130 miles south of Lexington.

The dead are: F. E. Cook, Orion, Mich.; E. J. Bussey, Detroit, Mich.; F. Rammich, Detroit, Mich.; W. M. Parks, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Mrs. Lillie King, of Opera Place, Cincinnati, O., is known to have suffered a wrenched back and H. Demming, 21099 Colerain avenue, Cincinnati, was cut about the face, head and lips.

Joe Kramer, of Chicago, Ill., and Harry Sickie, of St. Mary's, O., also were slightly injured. Names of any of the other passengers who were injured could not be learned.

The Royal Palm, which is due in Lexington at 6:35 o'clock was enroute from Jacksonville to Cincinnati when the wreck occurred. The train which is one of the safest and best equipped on the Southern system was loaded with tourists returning from Florida.

The train was carrying through Pullman cars for Chicago, Detroit, Indianapolis, and Toledo, in addition to the regular day coaches. Most of the passengers were from points north of the Ohio river, the Pullmans containing other passengers being carried on the Ohio Special, which follows the Royal Palm.

The train from all indications was running on schedule when the wreck occurred as it was not due in Lexington until 6:35 o'clock Wednesday night.

When news of the wreck was received at division headquarters at Somerset and Harrison Junction, Tenn., all available physicians and nurses were immediately summoned and started for the scene.

BROOM SPECIAL

WATCH OUR WINDOW FOR BIG SPECIAL PRICE ON BROOMS ON SATURDAY, APRIL 9.

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SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

JAIL BREAKER RETURNED TO COUNTY BASTILE

Robert Green, colored, who was indicted by the grand jury on the charges of housebreaking, grand larceny, carrying concealed deadly weapons and jailbreaking, was arrested several days ago in Cincinnati and brought back to Paris by Chief of Police Link.

Green made his escape from the Paris jail in February by scaling the wall and dropping to the ground below. In the fall he broke the bones of one foot, it was learned afterward. In spite of this handicap he managed to make a clean get away, and was not heard of until a few days ago, when he applied at the Cincinnati General Hospital for treatment. It was discovered that gangrene had set in. He was suspected as being the man wanted here for jailbreaking, and Chief of Police Link was notified. Link made a trip to Cincinnati, and identified Green, who at that time was in too bad a condition to be removed. He was later in the week brought to Paris. He is still in a serious condition, and physicians are of the opinion his foot may have to be amputated. Green's trial will come up at the June term of the Bourbon Circuit Court.

CAR TURNS TURTLE

While driving on the Paris and Lexington pike, a short distance out of Paris, Monday afternoon, Mrs. Florence Cook and a party of friends from Georgetown, escaped serious injury when their car overturned in passing another on the road.

The party had been to Paris, attending the Billy Sunday meeting, and returning. Mrs. Cook, who was driving, ran too near the edge of the road and the car dropped over the edge of an embankment, turning over twice in its descent. Mrs. Cook and her guests, Mrs. Ella Parker, Mrs. Minnie Sandifer, Mrs. Rilla Godey and Miss Allen Kimbrough, were pinned under the car until passersby extricated them. Mrs. Sandifer sustained a sprained ankle and was cut about the forehead, and Mrs. Parker received a cut on chin. The occupants were able to proceed on their journey after having their car righted.

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SPRING STYLE SHOW SCORES A BIG HIT.

In the parlance of the stage, the big Spring Style Show, inaugurated Tuesday and Wednesday by enterprising merchants of Paris, "scored a big hit." The Show was a success in every particular, and received a well-merited meed of praise from the big audience that packed the Paris Grand both nights.

Did the men go to the Style Show? Did they? We say they did. They were there in numbers and seemed to enjoy every bit of it. The women were certain to go anyhow, because anything relative to fashions and style naturally appeals to them, and a style show is the very apotheosis of attire. But, since the announcements were made that the merchants would have some very startling displays in women's and men's attire, the women had to fight their way in and take their chances through a crowd of men. Clothes attract women. What is more or less inside of clothes attracts the men. This is a combination which does credit to the mythological instinct of Paris merchants. The Style Show was a success because it was so destined from the very start.

When the doors of the Grand were opened Tuesday night for the first performance there was a veritable stampede and in a short while the house was filled from pit to dome, and standing room at a premium. Even window seats were seized on as points of vantage. Anticipation was at a high pitch, and the feminine portion of the audience could hardly wait for that part of the program where the fashions would be the leading feature.

Following the overture by Gregg's Orchestra, and the picture feature, Pathe News, the first part of the fashion reviews was rung up, being a display of sport clothes. The gowns and suits were displayed by the following: Mr. Leach, representing I. L. Price & Co., Miss Scott, representing C. S. Goldstein, Mr. Sutton, representing Mitchell & Blakemore, Miss Kash, representing The Leader Store, Mr. Mitchell, representing Jos. W. Davis & Co., Miss Hayden, representing C. S. Goldstein, Mr. Mullen, representing The Leader Store. The gowns and suits displayed were artistic creations and won the instant applause and approbation of the audience.

The stage settings were furnished by The J. T. Hinton Co., shoes by Harry Linville and Posner Bros., athletic equipment by Daugherty Bros., and silver ware by the A. J. Winters Co. The second part featured street and afternoon dresses and men's business suits. In this act the outstanding feature was a dance charmingly executed by a dainty little miss, Pauline Davis, of Lexington, whose clever interpretation and graceful dancing won the hearty and spontaneous applause of the audience, compelling several encores. John Craig, son of Mrs. Catherine Davis Craig, and Miss Helen Frances Farmer, daughter of Mrs. Frank Farmer, of Paris, furnished an edifying and appreciative stunt in the program by their exposition of children's style, sharing honors with the principals. The remainder of the program was made up of a six-reel motion picture, "Clothes," and a display of evening gowns and suits, and a dance in evening clothes by Miss Kash and Mr. Leach.

Wednesday's offerings found equally as large a crowd present to enjoy the proceedings. The program was composed of motion pictures, "Topics of the Day," comedy, "A Seminary Scandal," and "Clothes," displays of street clothes and men's business suits; afternoon dresses and men's Palm Beach suits; dance by Miss Kash and Mr. Leach.

VICTORY MEDALS FOR FORMER SERVICE MEN

Postmaster J. Walter Payne has received notice from the Victory Medal Department, in Louisville, that Victory Medals are now ready for distribution to the ex-service men of Paris and Bourbon county. All who have not received a Victory Medal are asked to write to the Victory Medal Department, Room 510, P. O. Building, Louisville, Ky. All ex-service men who were in the service between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918, are entitled to one of these medals. The notice to Mr. Payne reads as follows:

"The War Department has invested this office with the responsibility of distributing 85,000 Victory Medals to the ex-service men of the World War in Kentucky, and desires that we secure the co-operation of the Kentucky press and postmasters in announcing this issue.

"PEACEFUL VALLEY" CAST IN CAPABLE HANDS.

A large audience greeted the presentation of the playlet, "Peaceful Valley," at the Paris High School auditorium, last night, by members of the Senior Class, under the supervision of Prof. Edward Saxon, of Transylvania College, Lexington.

The members of the cast producing the playlet carried their parts through with true dramatic attention and details, and each did his or her best to make the presentation all that had been predicted.

The production was so well rendered that no individual can be given especial mention. The scenes in the first act were laid in the Ayrton House, in the White Mountains, at the home and perpendicular farm of Hosea Howe, in the second act, and in Mrs. Howe's "best room" in the third act. The cast of characters was as follows:

Hosea Howe, man of the mountains—Clairborne Lisle.
Jotham Ford, hotel keeper—Jim McClintock.

Ward Andrews—Raymond Stamler.

Leonard Rand, merchant prince—Cletis Evans.

Charley Rand—his son—James M. Dundon.

Jack Fraghuar—Ussery Wilder.

Wilson, a waiter—Collins Hall.

Virgie Rand, worth winning—Josephine Fithian.

Niobe Farghuar, Jack's sister—Hedgie Taylor.

Phillis Howe—Elizabeth Deaver.

Martha, her daughter—Frances Kenney.

The following were patrons for the playlet, which will be given again to-night, at the same place, the curtain rising promptly at 8:15: Mrs. C. M. Clay, regent of Jemima Johnson Chapter, D. A. R.; Mrs. Owen L. Davis, president of the Women's Club; Mrs. Thos. H. Clay, Jr., chairman of the Literary Department of the Women's Club; Miss Lucy Blythe Simms, chairman of the Community Service and Civics Department; Sister Bernadine, St. Mary's School; Mrs. W. G. Talbott, president Richard Hawes Chapter, U. D. of C.; Mrs. H. S. Towler, Christian Science church; Rev. Father Wm. O'Hara, of the Church of The Annunciation; Mrs. James Duncan Bell, Presbyterian church; Mr. and Mrs. James McClure, Methodist church; Silas E. Bedford, Baptist church; Prof. and Mrs. Lee Kirkpatrick, Paris High School; Wm. E. Hacker, secretary Paris Commercial Club; Miss Reba Lockhart, High School faculty; Miriam Galloway, Betsy Helburn and Collins Hall, the student body.

MISS ROFF, PRESIDENT OF CLASSICAL ASSOCIATION

The two-day session of the Kentucky Classical Association, which closed Saturday noon, in Richmond, is considered to have been one of the most successful meetings ever held in Richmond. The organization may now be said to be on a solid basis, although it was organized only last year. It was attended by a number of distinguished teachers from all parts of the State; the treasury shows a healthy surplus; and there were two invitations to the meeting for 1922. The offer of Lexington was accepted, that of Berea having been withdrawn until 1923.

The principal meeting from the point of view of the general public was Friday evening, where Dr. Gordon J. Laing, head of the department of Latin in the University of Chicago, gave his illustrated lecture on "Buried Cities of Roman Africa."

The officers elected for the coming year were: President, Miss Elizabeth M. Roff, Paris; vice president, Miss Mabel Pollitt, of University of Kentucky; secretary and treasurer, Mr. Wren J. Grinstead, of Eastern Normal, Richmond.

A JOLT FROM FISHER

Editor Warren Fisher, of the Carlisle Mercury, must have had a severe shaking up on Main street, in Paris one or more times in the past. Editor Fisher, in the issue of yesterday, says:

"Concerning the visit of Billy Sunday to Paris THE BOURBON NEWS says: 'Many confessed to a distinct sense of disappointment, as the speaker was apparently not at his best.'"

"Told you the poor fellow wouldn't be fit, after jolting him over the shell-craters out by the Paris warehouses."

HELD TO GRAND JURY

In the County Court, Judge Geo. Batterson heard the case of John Clay, alias "Blue," colored, who was arrested Saturday night by Patrolman George M. Hill. Clay was charged with violation of the prohibition laws and carrying concealed a deadly weapon. He was held to the Grand Jury in the sum of \$1,000. Failing to furnish this, he was remanded to the custody of Jailor Tail.

BASE BALL SEASON ON

Spring is here for certain, as baseball practice has begun all over the land. Soon will be heard the cry of the umpire, "Play Ball," and the sons of swat will begin their spring, summer and fall campaign. The big league season will open on April 13, Cincinnati opening with a game at Redland Field.

Locally, the season will officially open next Sunday, when the Centerville, Regulars and the Paris White Sox will meet on the Centerville field. The game will be called promptly at 2:30 p. m. Both teams have been putting in strenuous hours of practice, and a good game is anticipated. The old-time fans of Paris and Bourbon county will attend in a body according to reports from the charmed circle. Many of us upon hearing the old familiar sound of baseballs will sigh for the good old days and fondly turn back the pages of memory to the halcyon days when the Bluegrass League was a prime factor in Central Kentucky sports.

The local team is being coached by H. H. Crider, acting manager. The battery will be composed of Caywood, Barlow and Perkins, all experienced men on the diamond. Barlow is a former member of the Centerville team, where he made an excellent record for fast work. Caywood has worked for the past two seasons with a Cincinnati semi-pro team, where he became known as "the slab wonder." Perkins has played on Central Kentucky teams. Until suitable grounds can be secured and arrangements made for a permanent home for the ball-tossers games will be booked for each Sunday outside of Paris. The team that will play at Centerville, Sunday, is composed of the following: Bearman, Barlow, Caywood, Perkins, Breese, Mann, Lancaster, Brewsbaugh, McFarland, Williams, Burnett, H. Johnson, J. Kiser and E. Kiser.

A. R. Cox and E. B. Bogle are organizing the Mt. Sterling base ball club and have begun the work of getting together a first class team. It is understood that they will operate under the name of the local Post of the American Legion and will donate to that organization ten per cent of all gate receipts. Games will be booked with Kentucky teams playing Sunday ball. The club last year was a good paying proposition.

The season will open in Nicholasville, Sunday, with a game between the Nicholasville and Lexington teams, on Evans Field.

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COL. EPH LILLARD DEAD IN CHICAGO

A telegram was received in Frankfort, Wednesday night, by relatives announcing the death in Chicago of Col. Eph Lillard. Colonel Lillard was active in Kentucky politics for several years.

He held the position of warden of the penitentiary there and recently was in the office of the State Commissioner of Pensions. He represented Jessamine county at one time in the Legislature.

He is survived by two sons and one daughter and his wife, who was Miss Bettie Noe. The body will be brought to Frankfort for burial. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at the Christian church.

Colonel Lillard was deputy internal revenue collector under Ben Johnson and storekeeper-gauger in the old Louisville Distillery under Atilla Cox. With the late Col. Jack Chinn he was the late Gov. William Goebel's bodyguard and had just left him when the former Governor was assassinated in front of the old Capitol building during Goebel's campaign.

Lillard, Jack Chinn and Robert Franklin accompanied Goebel over the State singing, "There's Trouble in the Land."

GUN CLUB TROPHY

A finely finished Winchester shot gun, the trophy to be contested for at the opening of the Bourbon Gun Club's grounds, in this city, is on exhibition in the show window of Mitchell & Blakemore. The trophy is valued at \$50.00, and was donated by R. C. Ruggles, of the Ruggles Motor Co., who is an enthusiast. The first shoot will be held on Friday, April 15.

The Club gladly welcomes visiting sportsmen and sportswomen. Special accommodations will be arranged for the comfort of ladies who attend the tournaments.

BOURBON FARMER FILES BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS

At Cynthiana, Tuesday, proceedings in bankruptcy in the case of R. L. Logsdon, Bourbon county farmer, were heard before Referee in Bankruptcy A. M. Cox. Mr. Logsdon was present and was examined by Mr. Cox. County Attorney David D. Cline, of Paris, was appointed as trustee.

In November, 1920, Messrs. Talbott and Cleveland, of Bourbon county sold to Mr. Logsdon about fourteen acres of land for \$15,500. By the terms of the contract Mr. Logsdon was to pay \$5,000 in cash on March 1, and to execute notes for the balance. When that time arrived Logsdon failed to make the cash payment or execute notes. Talbott and Cleveland filed suit for damages to the extent of \$2,500 against Logsdon through their attorneys, Whitley & Talbott. Following this Mr. Logsdon filed proceedings in bankruptcy.

T. PORTER SMITH ANNOUNCES FOR LEGISLATURE

T. Porter Smith, formerly of Paris, who has been a resident of Georgetown for several years, announces in a recent issue of the Georgetown Times his candidacy for Representative from Scott county in the next Legislature.

Mr. Smith will make an excellent legislator for our neighboring county. He is a splendid mixer, and his previous training as an attorney and business man will stand him in good stead in the legislative halls. He has the good wishes of a host of Paris and Bourbon county friends in his aspirations, which they hope may be realized.

PARIS TOBACCO SALES FOR RECENT SEASON

Sales at the six loose leaf tobacco warehouses of Paris, during the season recently closed, reached a total of 10,995,000 pounds according to a semi-official statement given out recently. The official average for the season was \$13.00 per hundred pounds.

Due to low prices it was stated that many tenant farmers saw their year's labor swallowed up, and their debts left unpaid, while many landowners who had endorsed payable paper for their tenants likewise were compelled to make it good at the banks. County stores are also holders of large amounts of uncollectible accounts made by tobacco tenants.

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